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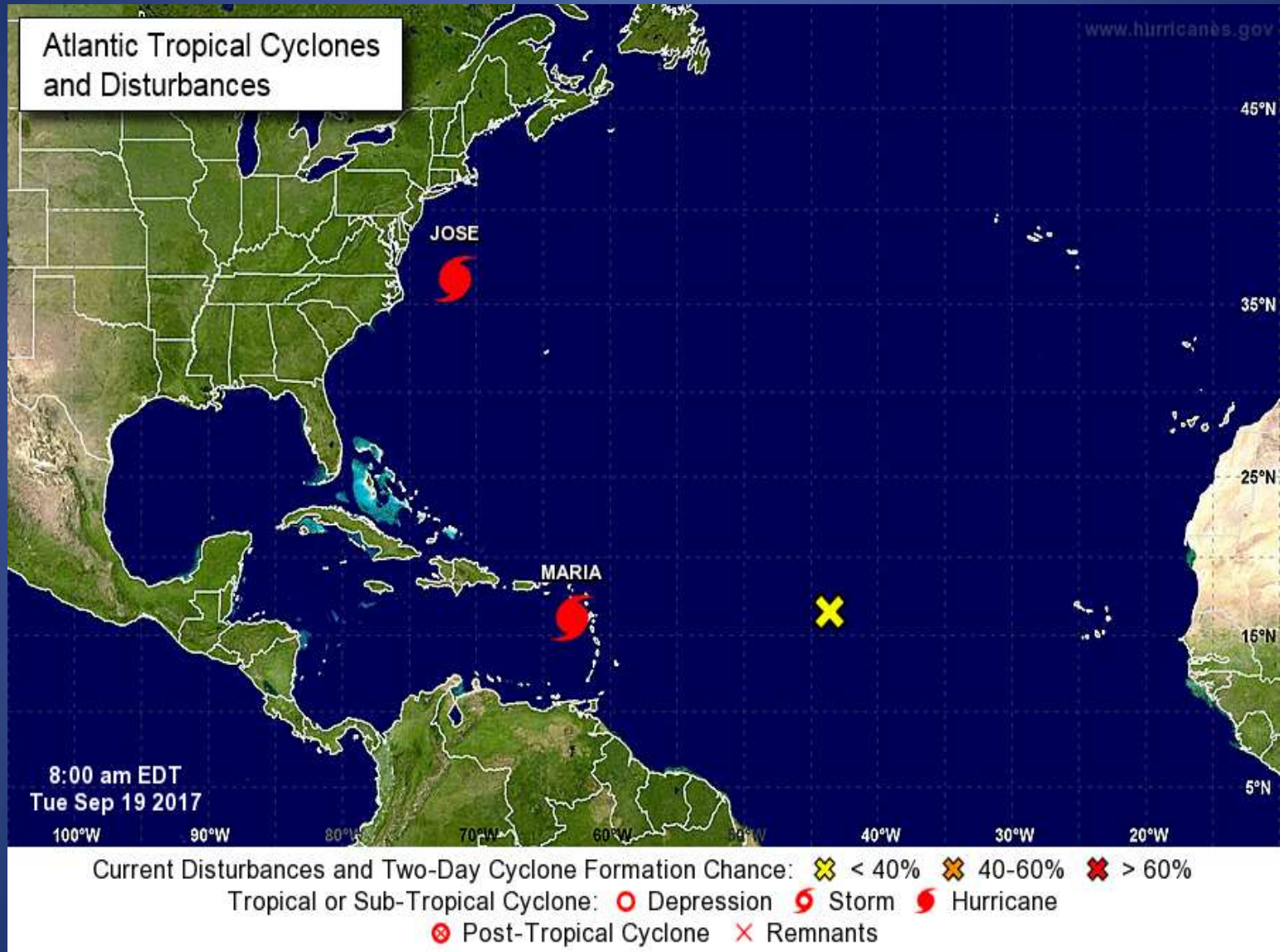


Situation Awareness Brief



**Tuesday, September 19th 2017
As of 0900 CST**

Tropical Weather Awareness



Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
09/18/17	Initial Report of a Road Closure (US 59)	Fort Bend County	N
09/18/17	Initial Report of a Road Closure (US 77)	Victoria County	N
09/18/17	Final Report of a Road Closure (US 77)	Victoria County	Y
09/18/17	Silver Alert Continuation Fort Bend County Sheriff's Office	Fort Bend County	N
09/18/17	Final Report of a Road Closure (IH 35)	La Salle County	Y
09/19/17	Final Report on the Road Closure (US 183)	Gonzales County	Y

Informational Products

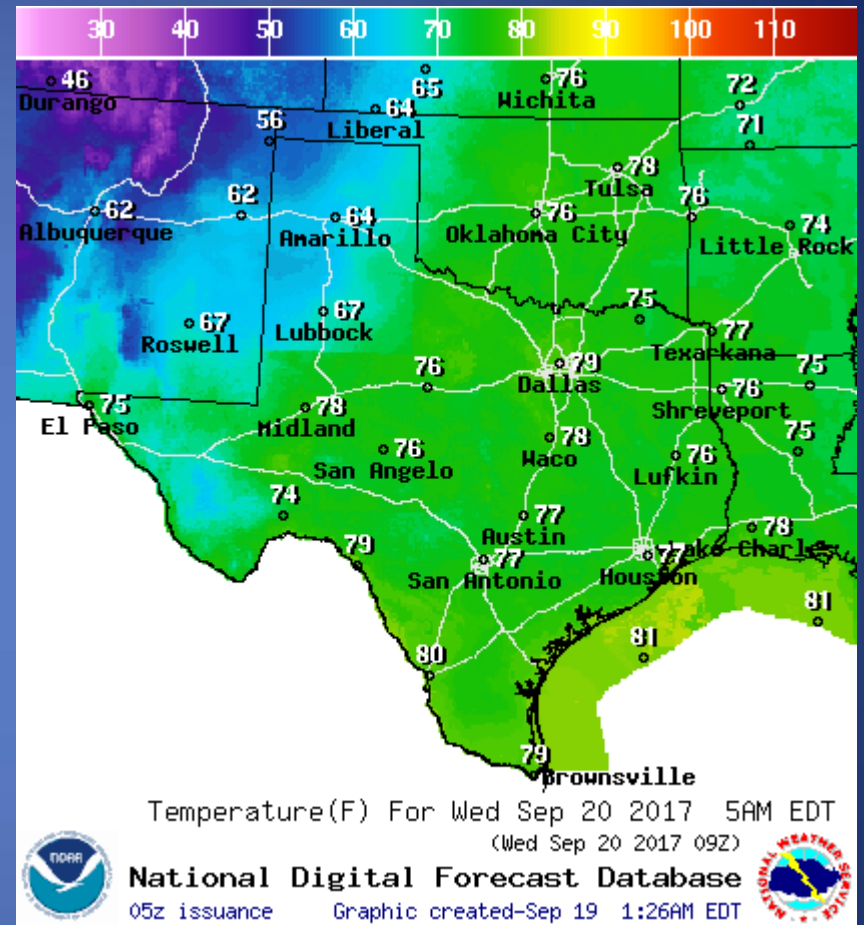
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DATE	SUBJECT
09/18/17	NWS Lubbock- Public Information Statement- NWS Damage Survey for 9/17/2017 Thunderstorm Wind Event
09/18/17	NWS Amarillo – Hydrologic Statement
09/19/17	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Tuesday, September 19, 2017 for FEMA Region 6
09/19/17	FEMA Region 6 Daily Situation Awareness Brief

Weather Forecast

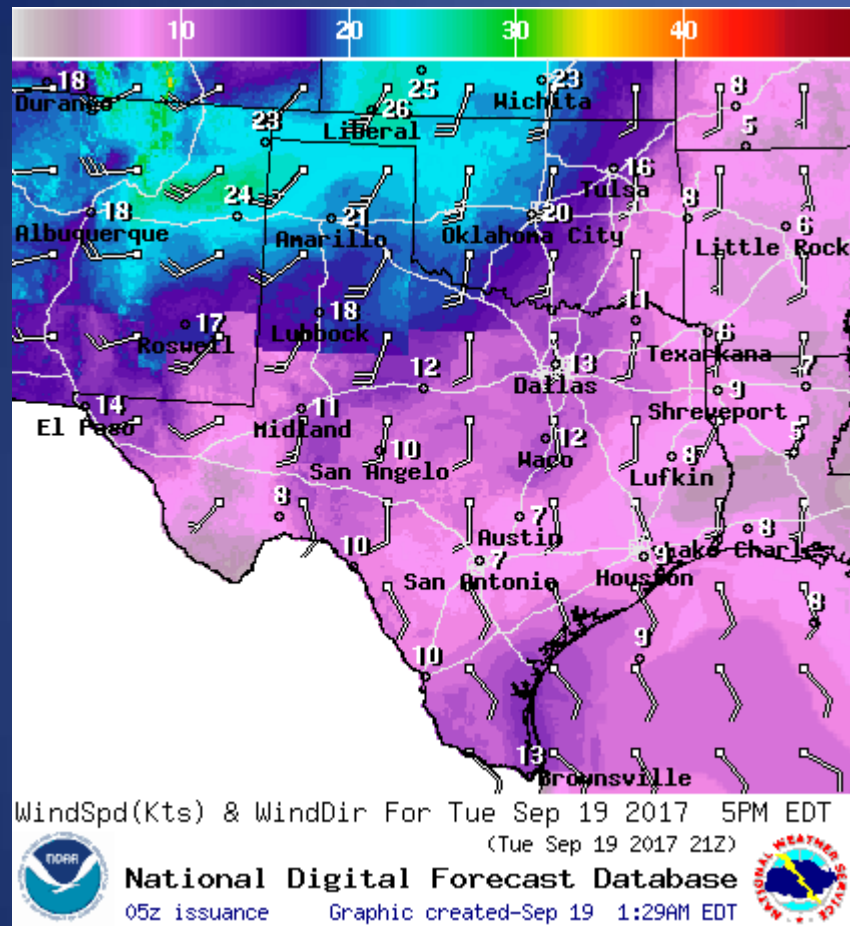


Highs

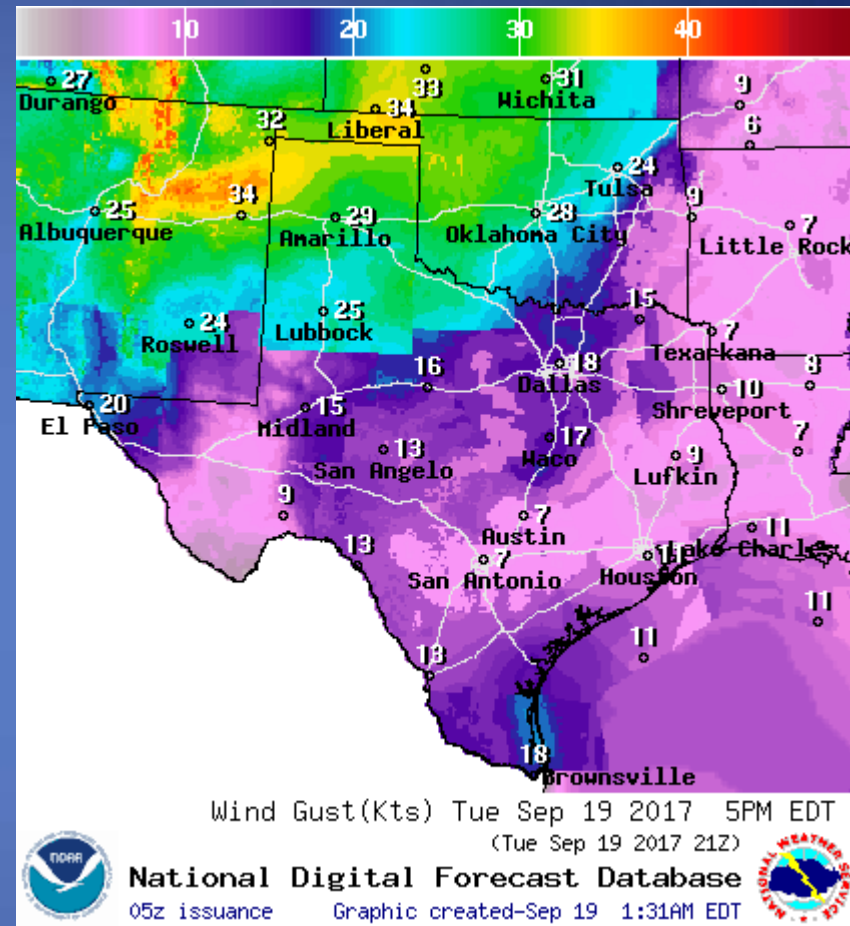


Lows

Weather Forecast



Wind Speeds



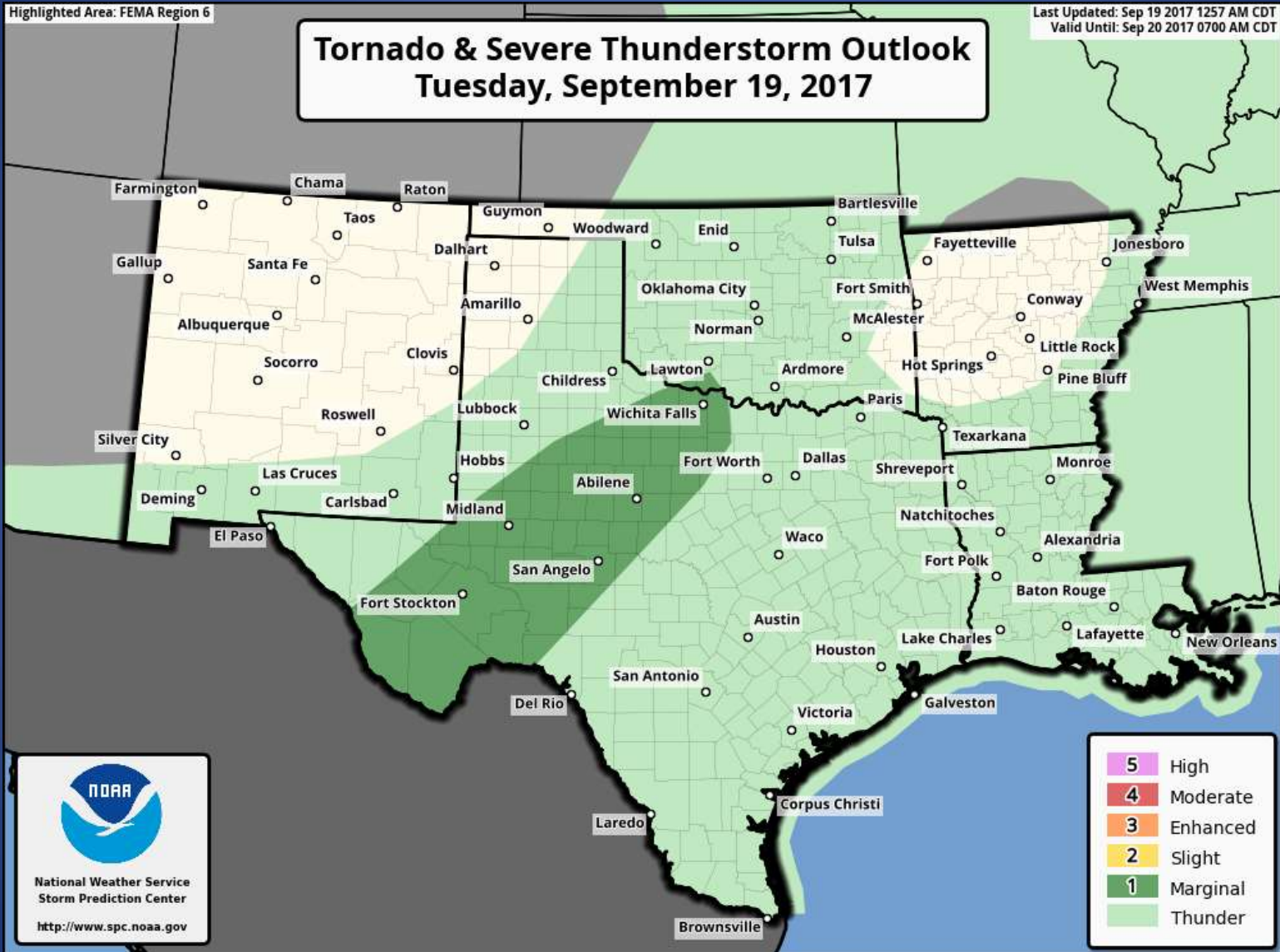
Gusts

Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: FEMA Region 6

Tornado & Severe Thunderstorm Outlook Tuesday, September 19, 2017

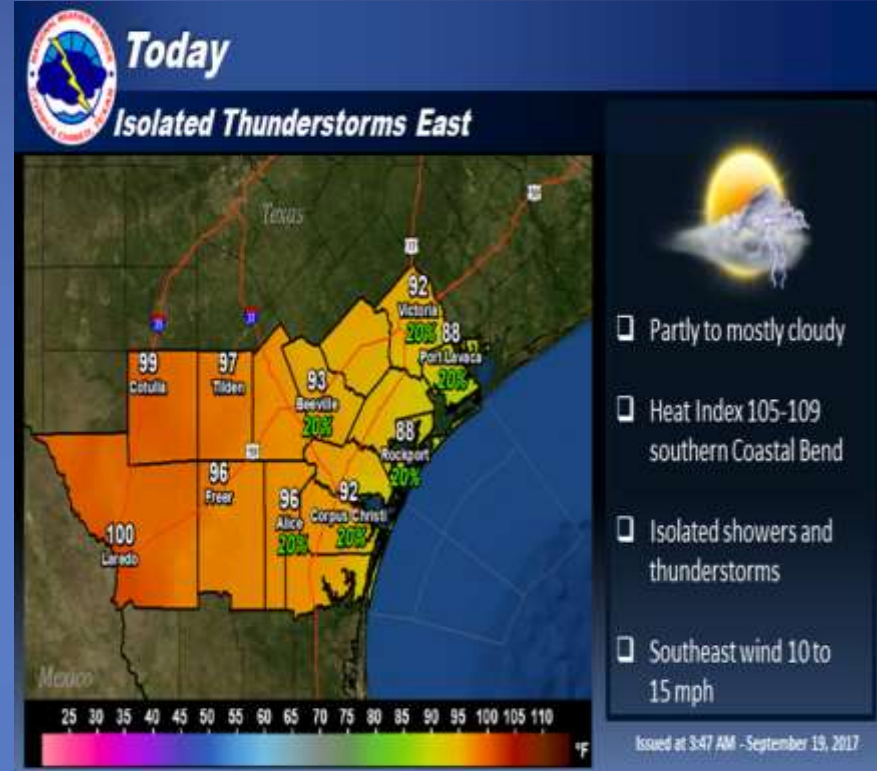
Last Updated: Sep 19 2017 1257 AM CDT
Valid Until: Sep 20 2017 0700 AM CDT



Hazardous Weather



Low clouds and patchy fog will dissipate by late morning leaving a partly cloudy and warm day across South Central Texas. Isolated showers and storms are possible across southeastern areas well east of I-35 and across western Val Verde County. The storms out west may be strong with gusty winds possible. Temperatures will remain above normal with highs in the 90s. Heat index values of 104 to 106 are possible across the southeastern counties



Partly to mostly cloudy with a slight chance for showers and thunderstorms, mainly east of highway 281. Highs will be in the low 90s across the eastern portions of South Texas to around 100 along the Rio Grande. Heat index values of 105 to 109 degrees will be possible this afternoon across the southern Coastal Bend. Winds will be southeast 10 to 15 mph.

Hazardous Weather

Isolated to Scattered Thunderstorms are Expected

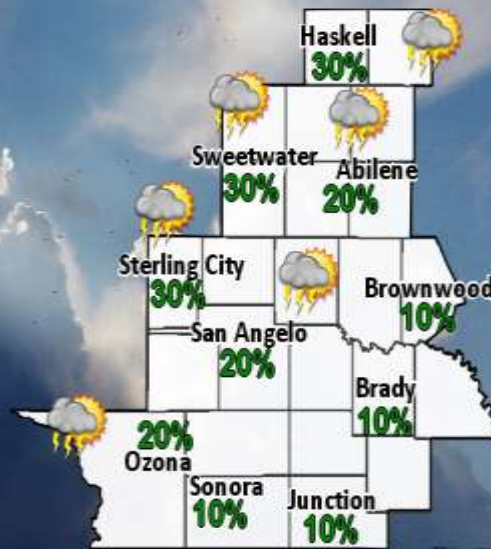
Rain Chances by this evening

Isolated to scattered thunderstorms are expected to develop and move into West Central Texas.

Where: Across roughly the northwestern half of the area on the map.

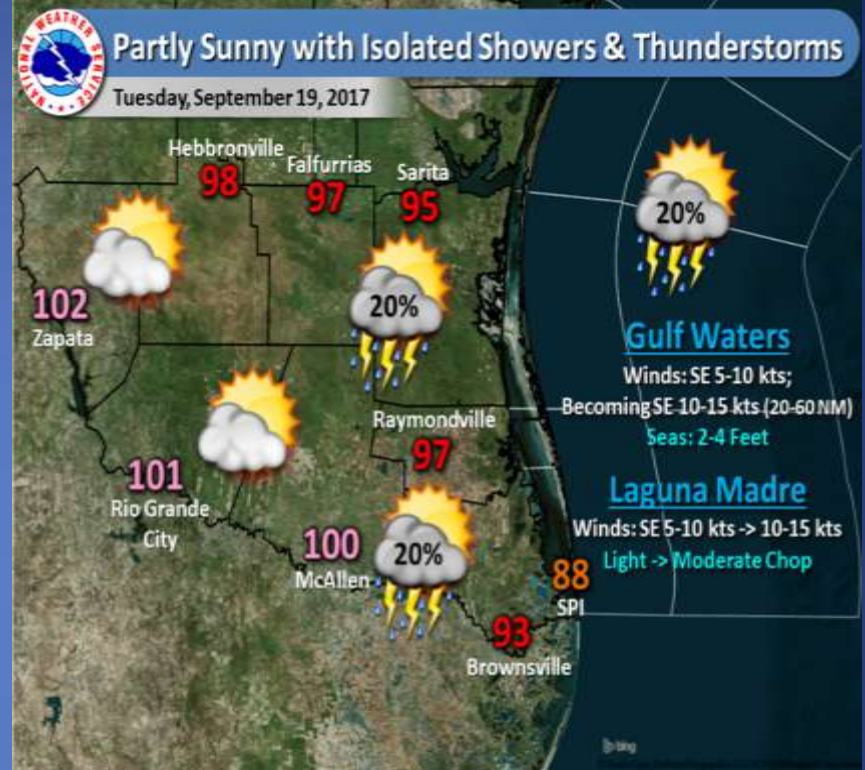
When: Mainly between 4 PM and Midnight.

Possible Hazards: Large hail, damaging winds, dangerous lightning.



National Weather Service
San Angelo, TX
Updated: Sep 19 6:01 AM

Hot and humid conditions are expected today, with highs this afternoon in the mid to upper 90s. With the arrival of a weak upper level disturbance, isolated to scattered thunderstorms are expected mainly this afternoon through early tonight, across roughly the northwestern half of West Central Texas. A few strong to severe thunderstorms will be possible with large hail, damaging winds and dangerous lightning.



Partly sunny skies and hot temperatures continue today across the Rio Grande Valley and deep south Texas. Scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms will be possible along the sea breeze. If you have outside activities planned today, be sure to stay hydrated, seek shade when you can, and if you hear thunder roar, head indoors. For the mariners, expect light to moderate southeast breezes with a building chop on the Laguna Madre and gulf seas of 2 to 4 feet across the coastal waters.

Hazardous Weather

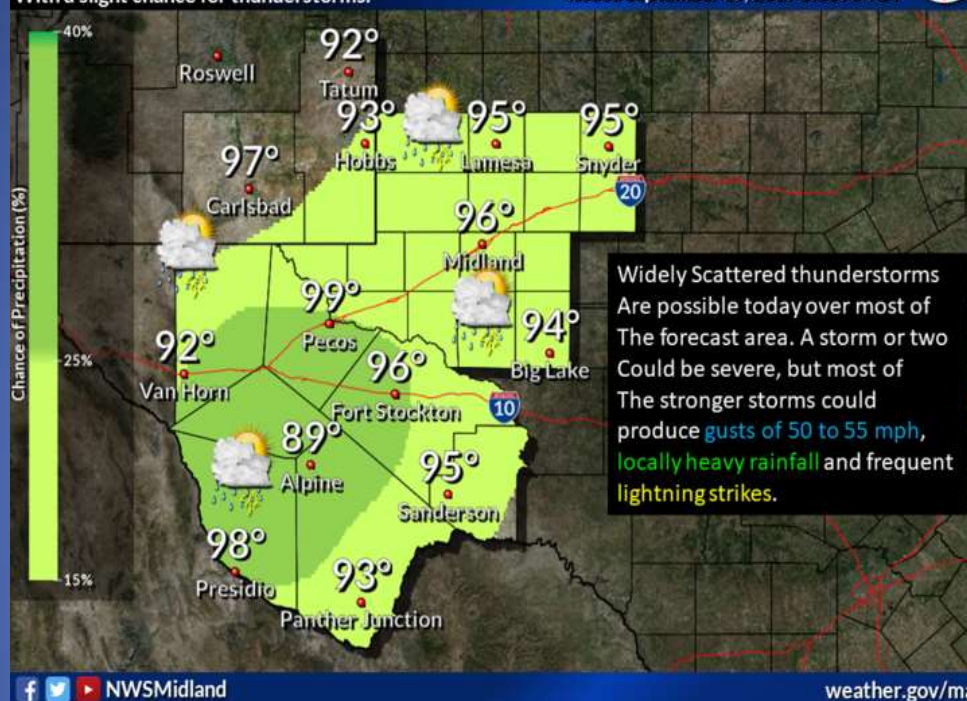
Above Normal Highs Today

Weather Forecast Office
Midland/Odessa, TX



With a slight chance for thunderstorms.

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Highs will once again be above normal with reading generally in the 90s. There will be isolated to widely scattered showers and thunderstorms with gusty winds and small hail the main threats

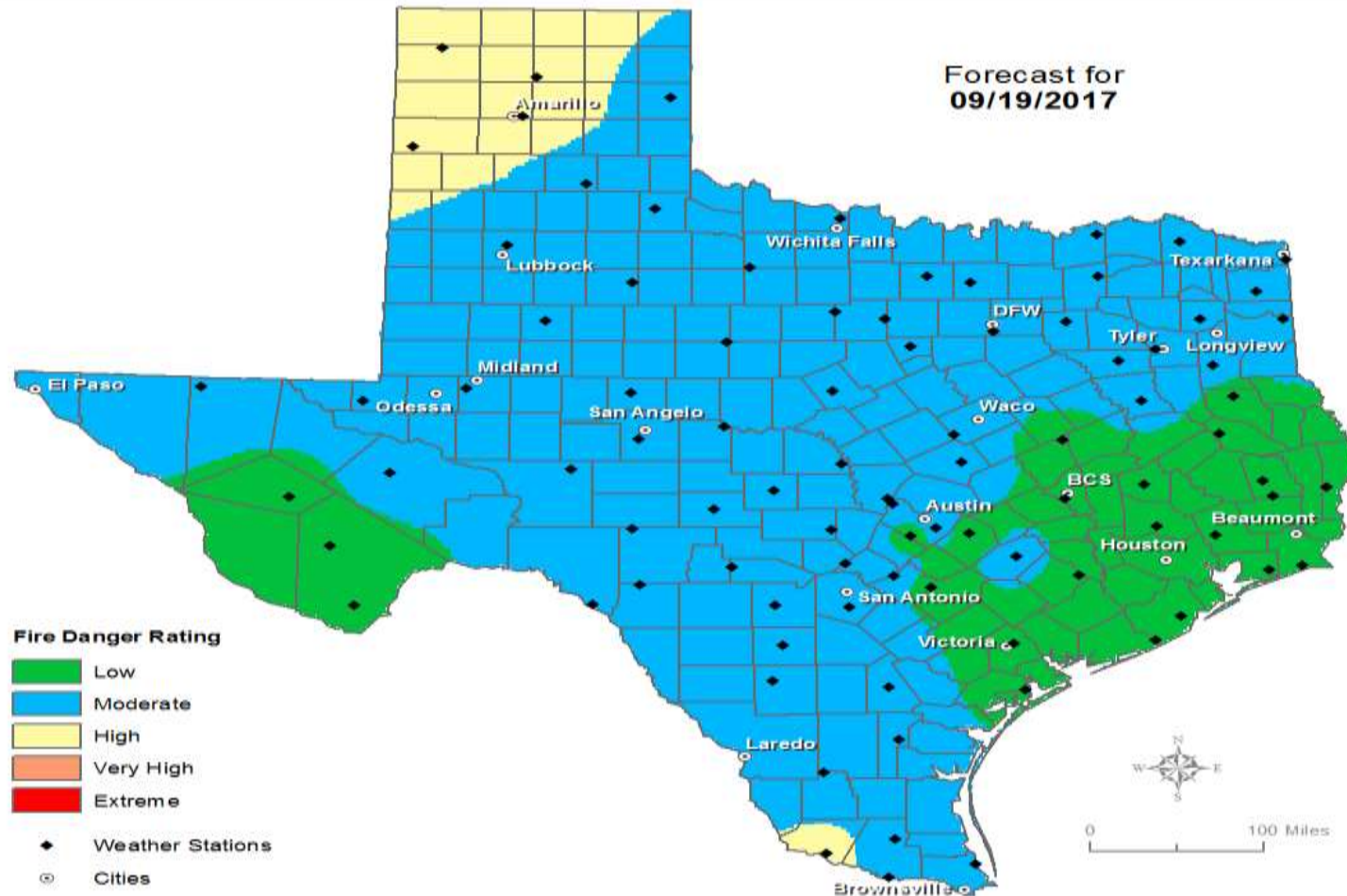
Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
09/18/17	Flood Warning Continues	Sabine River Near Deweyville, Sabine River affecting Newton & Orange Counties
09/18/17	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Ector, Howard, Lynn, Glasscock and Mitchell Counties
09/18/17	Flood Advisory	Harris, Fort Bend and Brazoria Counties
09/19/17	Dense Fog Advisory	Hardin, Jefferson, Northern Jasper, Northern Newton, Orange, Southern Jasper, Southern Newton and Tyler Counties

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger

Forecast for
09/19/2017



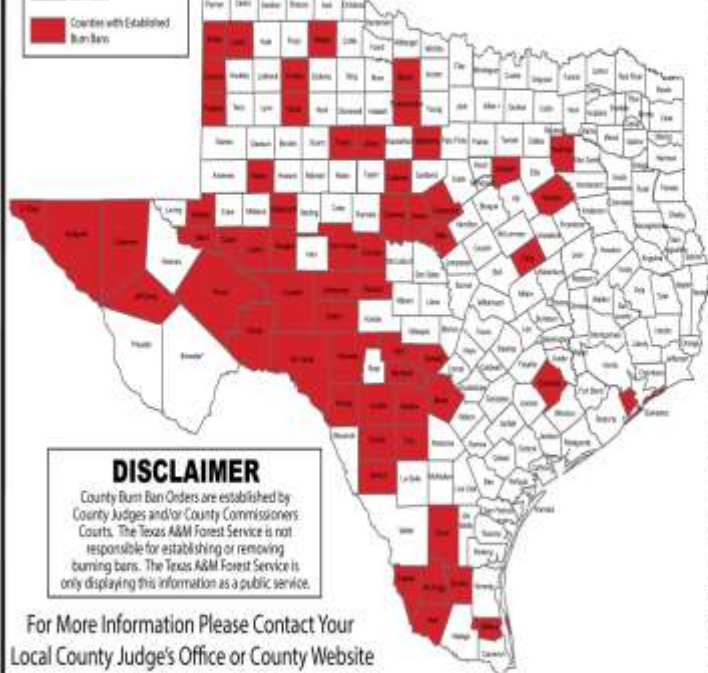
Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

September 19, 2017



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu



DISCLAIMER

County Burn Ban Orders are established by County Judges and/or County Commissioners' Courts. The Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. The Texas A&M Forest Service is only displaying this information as a public service.

For More Information Please Contact Your
Local County Judge's Office or County Website

RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov

Burn Ban RSS feed available at <http://tfsfrp.tamu.edu/wildfires/BurnBan.xml>

Counties with Burn Bans: 60

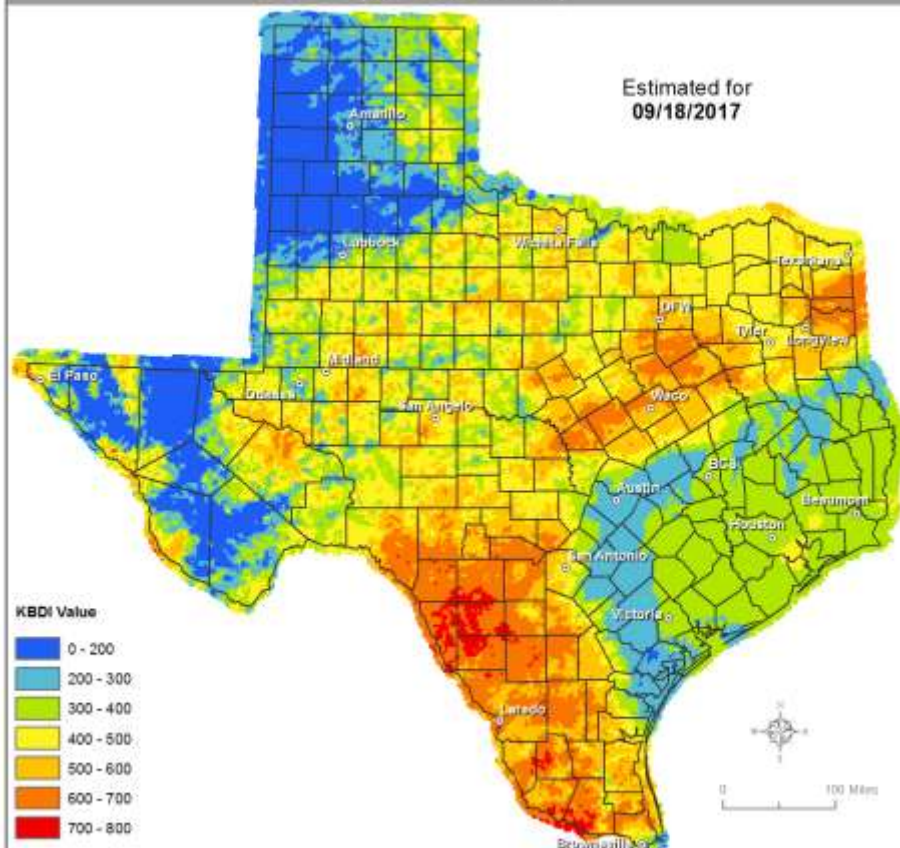
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Pecos
Reagan
Schleicher
Sutton
Tarrant
Terrell
Throckmorton

* Burn Ban modified during a Red Flag Warning Day.
* Burn Ban modified during a County for specific.

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
09/18/2017



KBDI Value
0 - 200
200 - 300
300 - 400
400 - 500
500 - 600
600 - 700
700 - 800

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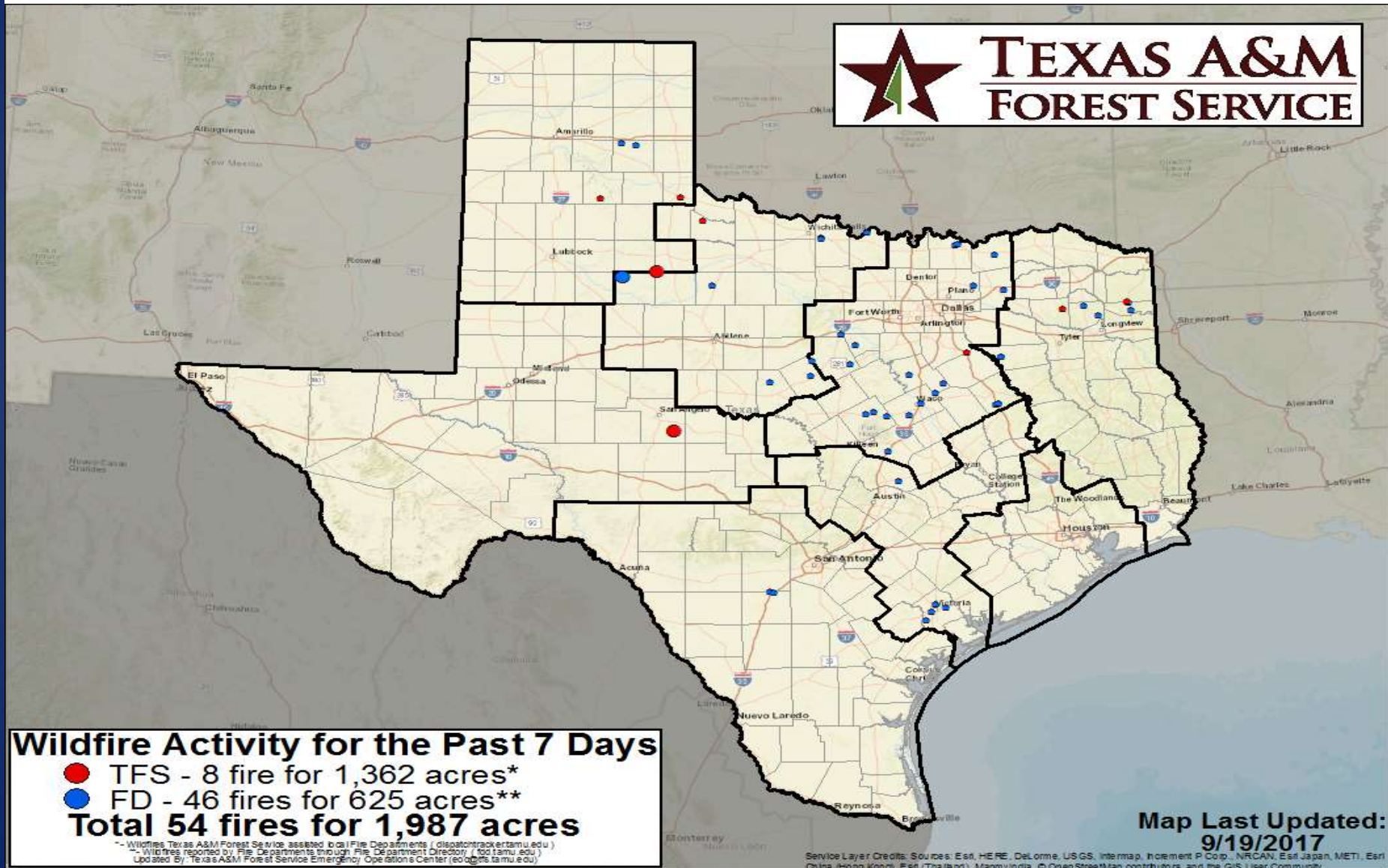
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FOREST SERVICE

Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
09/19/17	Fire Danger Statement	Baylor, Foard, Hardeman, Knox, Wichita and Wilbarger Counties

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 578 (+1) fires and 655,544 (+200) acres destroyed this year. There are 60 (-1) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 141 (+4) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
09/18/17	09/21/17	WMD Radiological/Nuclear Course for HazMat Technicians	PER-241	Las Vegas
09/19/17	09/19/17	HZMTIQ-Above the Line/Below the Line Training	HZMTIQ	Grand Prairie
09/19/17	09/19/17	ICS Overview for Executive/Senior Officials	G-402	Dallas
09/19/17	09/19/17	Disaster Accounting 101 (Module 4)	T-600.d	Baytown
09/19/17	09/19/17	Texas Public Officials Workshop	G-200	Amarillo
09/19/17	09/21/17	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Roma
09/19/17	09/22/17	NFPA 1006 2008 Edition Trench Rescue Levels I and II Pro-Board Certification	H-504	Leander

Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
09/19/17	09/19/17	Harris County Emergency Management/Houston	Seminar: Whole Community: Planning Better Together
09/20/17	09/20/17	City of Waxahachie OEM	Waxahachie Hostage Situation Drill

Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
09/15/17	09/23/17	Amarillo	Tri-State Fair and Rodeo
09/19/17	09/24/17	Houston	Houston Astros Home Baseball Game